# ASSOCIATE SUPERINTENDENT APPROVAL

## STATE BOARD MEETING DATE 1/28/08

**SUBJECT:** Structured English Immersion (SEI) Training

**SUBMITTED BY:** John A. Stollar, Associate Superintendent for Accountability

**MANAGEMENT TEAM REVIEW:** 1/10/08

#### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

# STRUCTURED ENGLISH IMMERSION (SEI) TRAINING TO COMPLETE THE FULL SEI ENDORSEMENT

The Office of the Arizona Attorney General gave final approval to the Structured English Immersion (SEI) Endorsement on October 18, 2004.

This SEI Endorsement requires all persons holding a valid Elementary, Secondary, Principal, Superintendent, Supervisor, Career and Technical, and Special Education Arizona State Certificate to obtain such an endorsement.

The State Board of Education (SBOE) approved the SEI Task Force-recommended curricular framework for both the Provisional SEI Endorsement and the Full SEI Endorsement on January 24, 2005. (R7-2-613, Section J, subsets 1 through 3). The SBOE approved the Augmented 45 Clock Hour Provisional SEI Endorsement on February 26, 2007.

In addition, the Checklist for SEI Training, which included the instructor qualifications, was approved at that same meeting (SBOE minutes, January 24, 2004/Item H). The complete list of required Checklist components are on: <a href="http://www.ade.az.gov/asd/lep/">http://www.ade.az.gov/asd/lep/</a>

The Education Program Specialists in the English Acquisition Services (EAS) unit of the Arizona Department of Education (ADE) have examined submitted Full SEI Curricular Frameworks from Local Educational Agencies (LEAs), independent consultants and institutions of higher learning. They have ensured that the following entities have submitted materials/outlines that adhere strictly in all curricular/instructional delivery areas to the list of required Checklist components.

OELAS verifies that the following submissions meet the required approved Full SEI Endorsement standards for curricular framework and instructor qualifications for the attached schools/instructors:

BOARD ACTION REQUESTED: [ ] INFORMATION [ X ] ACTION/DESCRIBED BELOW:

Approval of Recommendations for the following entities' 45 Full Clock Hour SEI Curricular Framework and Augmented 45 Clock Hour Provisional SEI Curricular Framework.

ATTACHMENTS: YES [X] NO[]

# Full 45 Clock Hour SEI

### LEA's

Cottonwood-Oak Creek School District Harvest Preparatory Academy Indian Oasis Baboquivari Unified School District Pendergast School District Pima County JTED

# Institutes of Higher Learning

American Indian College EDU 383 Methods of SEI

#### **Individual Trainer**

Balding, Janine Baron, Cherylholly Brink, Cristy Raia, Heather

# **Augmented 45 Clock Hour Provisional SEI**

#### LEA's

Cartwright School District Pima County JTED

# **Institutes of Higher Learning**

American Indian College

EDU 373 Foundations of SEI

Central Arizona College

EDU 240 Provisional Structured English Immersion

Eastern Arizona College

EDU 234 ESL/SEI Methods II

Grand Canyon University

ESL 433 - Advanced Methodologies of Structured English Instruction

Pima Community College

EDU 287 Structured English Immersion Foundations for Certified Teachers

#### **Individual Trainer**

Arredondo, Mona